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Applicants: John H. Schneider et al. : Group Art Unit:

Serial No.: 10/042,985 : Examiner:

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Title: TAMPER-EVIDENT EASY-OPEN SLIDER PACKAGE  
AND RELATED METHODS OF MANUFACTURE

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified application is an Amendment.

FEE FOR ADDITIONAL CLAIMS

X A fee for additional claims is not required.

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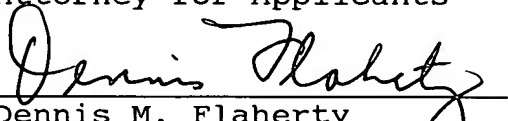
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		NUMBER OF EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS:	28	-	47	=	0	x \$18 =	0
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS:	3	-	7	=	0	x \$86 =	0
TOTAL FEE DUE						\$	0

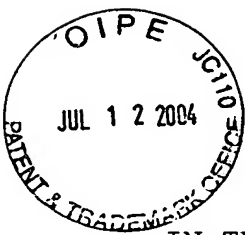
       Our check for payment of the additional claims fee is enclosed.

       The Commissioner is authorized to charge payment of any extension or other fee under 37 CFR 1.16 or 1.17 which may be required by this paper or credit any overpayment of same to Deposit Account No.       .

Respectfully submitted,

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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO  
SECOND NON-FINAL ACTION**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 9, 2004 in the above-referenced patent application, the Applicants request that the claims be amended as indicated starting on the next page: